VOTE - Voter Outreach Through Education Washington Secretary of State

CURRICULUM GRADES 5-7 TEACHER EALRS, LESSON PLAN 3

THEME: THE IMPORTANCE OF THE VOTE

State Essential Academic Learning Requirements (EALRS) to which this lesson relates:

SOCIAL STUDIES:	
2.1, 2.2, 2.5	Communication. Searches for relevant information.
3.1, 3.2, 3.3	Communication. Group Interaction Skills. Identify roles of different members of a group, serve in different roles in a group.
3.1, 3.2, 3.5	Writing. Organizes information. Applies information.
1.2	Interpersonal and Group Process Skills.
1.4	Critical Thinking. Analyzes Cause and Effect Relationships.
MATH	
1.4	Investigate cause and effect relations and their impact on people, environments, and economic systems.
CIVICS	
1.2.1a	Identify key democratic ideals of U.S. Government.
1.2.1b	Identify the traits of responsible citizenship and explain how they contribute to the democratic ideal.
2.1.1a	Identify the people and entities who make, apply, and enforce rules and laws. Explain the purpose of rules and laws.
2.3.1a	Explain what government is and what governments do. Understand that different societies have different forms of government.
3.2.1a	Identify individual rights and the responsibilities they imply and the importance of respecting the rights of others.
4.2.1a	Participate in civic discussion pertaining to public issues at school and in the local community.
4.2.1b	Explain the important characteristics of U.S. citizenship.